ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 07678/011003

rtificate of Mailing: Date of Deposit: December 11,200)

I hereby certify under 37 CFR 1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Joseph Chappell et al.

Art Unit:

1638

Serial No.:

09/514,513

Examiner:

Nelson, A.

Filed:

February 28, 2000

Customer No:

21559

Title:

CHIMERIC ISOPRENOID SYNTHASES AND USES THEREOF

Assistant Commissioner For Patents

Washington, DC 20231

REPLY TO EXAMINER'S ACTION

In reply to the Examiner's Action mailed June 11, 2001, Applicants make the following amendments and remarks.

<u>AMENDMENTS</u>

Kindly amend the application as follows.

In the Specification:

Replace the title with following title: "PLANT CELLS AND PLANTS EXPRESSING

CHIMERIC ISOPRENOID SYNTHASES."

On page 7, line 4, replace the heading "Detailed Description" with -- Brief Description of the Drawings--.

On page 7, line 6, delete the heading "Drawings."

On page 8, line 20, insert the heading "Detailed Description of the Invention."

In the Abstract

Replace the Abstract of the Disclosure with the attached Abstract of the Disclosure.